

FOR THE WEEK ENDING 27TH JANUARY 1899. 189

Diseases.	M.	F.	Total.	Diseases.	M.	F.	Total.
Plague ...	6	2	8	Plague ...	103	104	207
Cholera ...	...	...	...	Cholera ...	...	...	...
Small-pox ...	...	...	...	Small-pox ...	...	...	...
Fevers ...	...	3	3	Fevers ...	2	4	6
Bowel-complaints ...	6	3	9	Bowel-complaints ...	4	11	15
Suicide ...	...	...	...	Suicide ...	...	...	...
Wounding ...	...	...	...	Wounding ...	...	...	...
Accident ...	...	...	...	Accident ...	...	...	...
Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts ...	...	...	...	Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts ...	1	...	1
All other causes ...	8	27	35	All other causes ...	14	30	44
Total ...	20	35	55	Total ...	124	149	273
Births during the week ...	18	7	25	Births during the week ...	13	6	19

P. H. BENSON, M. B., Surgeon, Lt.-Colonel,  
Sr. Surgn. & Surg. Comr. with the Govt. of Mysore.

### SEASON REPORT OF THE BANGALORE DISTRICT FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1899.

*Rain-fall*—Nil.

*States of the crops*—The standing crops were generally reported to be in good condition. Paddy, Bengal-gram and potatoes were sown. Paddy, ragi and horse gram were harvested.

*Public health*—Fair.

*Mortality*.—There were 3,878 deaths in the month of November 1898, against 3,516 in the month preceding.

*Cattle*.—1,274 head of cattle died during the month, of these 184 were killed by wild beasts.

*Lands*.—Lands assessed at Rs 160-8-0 were taken up for cultivation.

K. P. PUTTANNA CHETTY, Dy. Comr.

### SOUTHERN MAHRATTA RAILWAY.

Notice, dated, Dharwar, 21st February 1899.

On and from the 26th February 1899, trains on the Bangalore-Nanjangud Section will run to the following timings:—

Read from top.			Read from bottom.		
Time.	Time.	Stations.	Time.	Time.	
H. M.	H. M.		H. M.	H. M.	
10 0	21 0	D. Bangalore .. ..	A. 18 7	6 5	
16 51	6 0	A. Mysore .. ..	D. 10 55	21 35	
17 10	6 30	D. Nanjangud .. ..	A. 10 17	21 17	
18 12	7 32	A. .. ..	D. 8 45	19 45	

NEVILLE PRIESTLEY, Traffic Manager.

### THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG.

Notification, dated 8th February 1899.

No. 5. Tenders are invited for the exclusive right of the sale of opium, preparations or admixtures of opium, and intoxicating drugs prepared from the poppy other than preparations or admixtures of opium used for smoking, in the Province of Coorg for 3 years, viz., from the 1st April 1899 to 31st March 1902. The tenders for the above must be made subject to the following conditions:—

2. A deposit of Rs. 100 must accompany the tender. The covers should be superscribed with the words,